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FOR: FEEDING APPARATUS FOR LIVESTOCK

Enclosed are:

[X] Specification and Abstract - 20 pages.

[X] Drawings - 9 sheets (Figs. 1-10).

[X] Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney.

[] Information Disclosure Statement.

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[X] This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. <u>60/437,976</u>, filed January 3, 2003.

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